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BOARD OF TRADE

With a large number of mema special meeting of the local board of trade took place in the municipal office, on uesday, January 20. The Lillian Hayes meeting was called to order at Kuthleen Sexton meeting was called to the president, Mr Alex. Rowles. San p.m., by the president, Mr Earl Saunders. R. M. Henderson.

The minutes of last meeting Ester McNiven . . George Chandler

age of stone for the bridge, at harold Watt... price of \$1 per yard.

A discussion regarding the delivery of mails to points John Carphey...
The Se.—... Fred Sandercock The Secretary was instructed to write the postmasters concorned, acquainting them with and cow hides. Highest mark the Board's wish and asking for et prices. their co-operation in the mat-

ter. The disposal of the bridge building was the next matter ter was finally left in the hands arrested by Constable Valk of a committee.

were instructed to draw up a ir larger quantities than al-strong resolution regarding the lowed by law in other than a a ferry at Sandy Point, and operating an export liquor that the same be submitted to warehouse without having first Capt. C. S. Pingle. It was fur-obtained a village license as rether agreed that levels should quired. be taken and a plan of the grades on both sides of the was fined \$50 and costs on the river be prepared as soon as first charge, and \$100 and costs the weather permitted.

up of the matter of local telephones with the authorities concerned were appointed.

The question of the supply of seed grain for farmers north and south of the Red Deer River was taken up. It was mov-ed that a resolution be tramed and submitted to Capt. C. S. Pingle and Mr. J. A. McColl urging them to take up the question with the proper authority, that needed seed grain might be supplied those farmers holding patented lands.

Don't worry, all those who are waiting patiently for Sparrow & Dawdy to get their shipment of masquerade costumes. They will be here on time, for sure.—Frank and Blake.

We wish to thank the many triends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our beloved son. We trust that they be spared such sorrow as has

Mr. and Mrs. C. Larson and family.

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EMPRESS PUBLIC SCHOOL

Monthly Report for January of GRADE VII.

A communication from the Prov Dept. of Public Works was read authorising the haul.

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Police Court

M. P. Chechik, claiming to be discussed. Opinions were vari-manager for the Canadian ous and conflicting as to wheth- Wine and Spirits Co., of Win er it should be retained by the uppeg, arrived in town on Fri-Board or sold. Hamilton, com-day last in charge of a carload paring building with that of of liquor. He rented the Eng-the Union Bank local building elbrecht building for warehouse said only difference was a coat purposes. Unloading the liq-of paint (laughter). The mat-

f a committee.

Chechik was convicted on two charges: of having liquor sity for the installation of liquor warehouse, the other for

Accused, who pleaded guilty he weather permitted.

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(An Export Liquor Ware house is defined by the law as a building having only one door 75 for either ingress or egress, not connected in any other way with any other building or part of same building.]

of the LO.D.E. will be held at the home of Mrs. Gregg Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 12th, at

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THURSDAY, FEB. 7th, 1918

Cleveland Current Comment

Carl Frenzel, returned from business trip to Calgary, on Monday night. He shipped in a valuable shorthorn bull.

eturned to their home in Sask- as 8 o'clock. atchewen.

A box social and dance was Notwithstanding the cold weather a representative crowd commenced at 8 p.m. and continued into the small hours of the morning. Boxes were sold during she intermission hour. The amount realised. \$70.05 was placed to the credit of the its limits, shall pay into Catholic Church. Messrs. Jab-the funds of the Village the lonski and Jackson, the musicians, gave their services gratis, the fees being donated to the same fund. At the close of the dance, the parishioners thanked Mr. and Mrs. Shubert and all parties who helped to make this first event a success

See Sparrow and Dawdy if you want satisfaction over your Masquerade Costumes.

Local and Personal

Judging by the number of ommercial travellers that have visited the town this past few days, business prospects must be good. Close to thirty in number have been in town the past week.

If reliet, in the matter of Seed Grain, is not given to some of the resident farmers

harness outfits have increased to \$92.30 and \$100.00 nearly double the price of January 2, 1914. Storey says that he has not increased his prices over

ing interior alterations to the old H. H. Bury store. We understand that it is the intention of the new proprietors, the Princess Confectionery Co., to open a confectionery store which will be a first-class one in every respect.

"Toboganning is not always a pleasure," says Geo. Avey after a little experience down Lacy's hill, "no matter how enjoyable the company." start was alright, but the finish -when the occupants and the "bob" separated for three dis-tinct places — was not nearly

Grease paints, wigs, moustaches, phoney diamond rings stage money. Anything for a make-up sold at Brown's.

OBITUARY

The burial took place in the Empress cemetery, on Tuesday, February 5, of John Martin Larson, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson. The deceased child was born Aug. ning, February 1st, 1918, aged 4 years, 5 months and 18 days Rev. G. G. Pybus administered the last rites. Mr. and Mrs. Larson have the sympathy of the community with them is their sad bereavement.

The Knitting Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. R. M. Mr. and Mrs. S. Phwiak have Henderson Thursday evening

A box social and the state of last ently did well to prohibit the The Village Council appar promiscuous opening of liquor warehouses here. The present warehouse now in operation, was present, and the time was has kept well within the law, enjoyable one. Dancing for an institution of its nature, and has never given cause to be suspected of distributing liquor locally. The Village by-law provides that exporters of intoxicants, operating within sum of \$100 per month.

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R. M. of Acadia No. 241

Council was held at Acadia the legality of Municipalities Valley on Monday, the 7th of advancing seed grain. January, with Councillors G. It is hoped that something Mills, W. R. Hendry, G. E. Wheaton, A. T. Barber and W. meeting, to be held on January

Officials appointed to office Carry; Deputy Reeve, A. T. Barber; Secretary

In regard to supplying seed grain, the Council have again taken this up with the Dept. of Agriculture at Edmouton and the Dept. of Immigration at these Departments the absolute necessity of assistance in this is to be put in erop this year.

cial stationery, etc.; call or Law, damages for treepass may Whiskers, Mustaches, Brown rings, so Brown rings, which us—The Rupress-Express be collected, whether enclosed has a carload of these articles. purposes.

The Minister of Municipal by a fence or not. Affairs was also communicated The first meeting of the 1918 with, asking his advice as to

23rd, tor the purpose of thoroughly going into this matter.

Resolutions were passed to arrange for the following credit Treasurer, D. M. Granam: at the Union Bank of Canada, Auditor, W. H. Peterson. Aleask.:

> General Account, \$10,000. School Trust, \$6,000.

The Reeve and Secretary were appointed official dele Winnipeg, making it clear to gates to attend the Convention monton, on February 6th, 7th matter if all the available land and 8th, with instructions to place before the Convention the same resolution as was taken Typewriters, typewriter sup- up last year. That the Munici plies, sounter check books, all pal Act be so amended that in kinds of printed and commer- connection with the Herd By-

Accounts paid: G. E. Galloway, labor on bridge, \$8.70. Glevannah Supply Co., nails,

\$1.75. Ewen McFadden, labor, \$3.00. Albert Elliott, labor, \$3.25.

Alsask News, stationery, \$15. Soldiers' Taxes paid :

L. I. Braithwaite, \$28,50. H. Westcott, \$12.30. Council then adjourned to

of January.
D. M. Graham, sec.-treas.

Regular meeting of the Council of the R. M. of Acadia, was held in the Acadia Valley Hall on Wednesday, Jan. 23rd, with Reeve Carry, and Councillors

You don't have to think twice day of March, at 10.30 o'clock. about where to purchase face make-up, such as Masks, Rouge Powder, Grease Paints, Cos tume Bells, Eye-brow Pencils, Whiskers, Mustaches. Brown rings, suitable for masquerade

G. Mills, G. E. Wheaton, W. R. Hendry and A. f. Barber pr

The following communic tions re seed grain were read From the Dept. of Agriculture -that they would advise the Council about the middle of February, what action the Dept. would take; from the Minister of Municipal Affairsthat the Municipality has no authority to advance seed grain to farmers; from the Dept. of Immigration—that the Domini on Government would advance seed grain to destitute home steaders only, who have not received the patent for their homestead; also that application forms may be had at post office, the Dominion Lands Office, or from the Dept. of Immigration at Winnipeg.

In this connection the Reav and Secretary were instructed to put the following resolution before the Convention at Edmonton:

That the Municipal Act be amended that Municipalities be empowered to supply farmers in destitute circumstances with seed grain, and that they be given borrowing powers finance such seed grain advances in addition to the regular borrowing powers.

No patriotic tax will be levied this year, as the Alberta Government is now providing for

550 packages of "Kill 'em gopher poison was ordered from the Acadia Valley Supply Co., to be distributed free-one package to each resi dent rate-payer for each halr section he dwns or occupies one package for each half sec

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| Superba | | | 36.00 |
| Edendale | | | 214.85 |
| Lonely Trail | | , , | 175.00 |
| Bryant | | | 172.71 |

Accounts: Wolf Bounty Appropriation,

R. A. Nicoll, labor, 9.75. Oyen News, advt. 1.00. Empress Express, advt. 1.00. Alsask News, stationery, \$11. Hanson & Johnson, hauling lumber, 19.50.

Empress Lumber Yards, law

D. M. Graham, salary, 82.40. R. J. Nickel, labor, 1.50. R. R. Gordon, labor, 13.00.

The Secretary was instructed to take up with the general managers of the C.P. and C.N Railroads the probabilities of railroads being built through neet on Wednesday, the 23rd the Municipality in the coming

> Also with the Dept. of Public Works at Edmonton, with re ference to the building of telephone line promised from Oyen to Empress.

Council then adjourned, to meet on Wednesday, the 27th D. M. Graham, sec.-treas.

See Brown's phoney diamond

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Local and Personal

G. Fucker, left on Tuesday.

n a business trip to Calgary. G. L. Brown, made a trip to Alsask, on Sunday, by auto.

A. York, returned on Monday from a visit to his farmstead in time. the Gorefield district.

M. N. Mohler, has taken over the management of the Ford Norman McDonald, a son

Don't forget. Sparrow and Dawdy will have their masquerade costumes here on time.

Jim Wade, says the ice is better this year than he has ever day. seen it.

R. G. McIntyre was a busines visitor to Leader, Sask., on Monday.

The warm chinook winds during the past week have been real heart gladdeners.

Two per cent beer is due for a rise in price. Buy now and save a nickel, says Louis Mc-

Catholic mass will be said on February 9, at 9.30 a.m., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Rings for Masquerade use.

the Military Representative on the local Exemption Tribunal, returned to Medicine Hat last

Hugh Simpson is getting suppled up" for the He says the boys will all want work done that day, so he will sure be right in condition to be Brown on the job.

The death took place in the Empress hospital, last week, of Empress hospital, last week, of the infant son, of Mr. and Mrs. John Knapik. Interment took place in the Catholic cemetery north of town

You can tell each time that there is a rise in temperature by glancing up street. If P. B. WING TAI LAUNDRY Ostrom and his helpers are working on their new automo bile service station, the weather is not so bad. If they are not there busy with hammer and saw you will not miss your guess in saying it is, "darn good and cold."

High prices are not confined big mail order houses show substantial increases in prices. Harness has taken a jump of over 100 p.c. Tank pumps, and similar articles are listed at a 100 p.c. increase in price. Con ditions have changed, and are worth consideration before you send that order out of town. ee what the home merchant ean do first.

Read this: 've lead a wild life, I've made all I ve spent, I've paid all I've borrowed. And lost all I've lent. I once loved a woman

That came to an end So, I bought a good bull dog, And he is my friend.

some pome, ch! The author is much enthused over the com position of it, and will handsomely reward the person who n discover his identity.

Ash Wednesday, February 13 St. Valentine's Day, February

G. M. Johnston is a business visitor in town for a few days.

Sparrow and Dawdy won't disappoint you. Their cos-tumes will be here in plenty of

Born-At Leader, Sask., on January 29, to Mr. and Mrs. J.

The missing keg is apparently as deep a mystery as the "Million Dollar Mystery."

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Stoudt, re turned from a visit to the States and eastern points on Satur

Dave Lush has something new for the big dance. He says it's a winner. Now, Dave, don't pull off any of those "Sheerluck Jones' stunts.

"Bill" Clark dislocated a shoulder when he slipped and Ira says that he will be there fell on the ice on Monday evenmasked. Just look out for ing. He was taken by car to Leader, Sask., on Tuesday, to have the shoulder set. We are informed, and nope that he will covery from the effects of the fall.

See Brown's Phoney Diamond

D. N. Murray, who acted as Mr. and Mrs. Audience





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Remember The Masquerade Ball, Feb. 8